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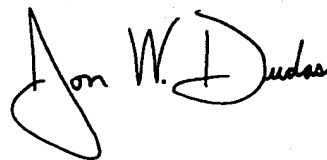
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page.

Item [73], Assignee, "**Canon Kabushiki Kaisha**, Tokyo (JP)" should read -- **Canon Denshi Kabushiki Kaisha**, Chichibu-shi (JP) --.

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized, with a large, looped initial "J" and a distinct "D" at the end.

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